Operating Guideline # 212

Jewelry

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PURPOSE:

The purpose of this Operating Guideline (OG) is to establish guidelines with respect to wearing jewellery in order to provide for the safety of the members of this Department.

GUIDELINE:

1. Jewelry which may cause or intensify injury due to heat or mechanical injury due to pulling, tearing, conduction etc. shall not be worn during emergency and/or training activities at which the wearing of protective clothing is required. Examples include items such as earrings, necklaces, bracelets or facial jewellery.

RESPONSIBILITY:

It is the responsibility of all Emergency Operations Division staff to comply with the provisions of this Operating Guideline.